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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Shawn D. Cartwright Confirmation No.: 3485

Application No.: 09/676,448 Group Art Unit: 3621

Filing Date: September 29, 2000 Examiner: Calvin L. Hewitt

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OBTAINING ADVANTAGES AND

TRANSACTING THE SAME IN A COMPUTER GAMING ENVIRONMNET

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## REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

	Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is:						
	A Preliminary Amendment.						
	An Amendment Responsive to the Office Action Dated .						
$\boxtimes$	An Amendment Supplemental to the Paper filed Appellant's Brief Under 37 C.F.R. §1.192.						
	Other: .						
$\boxtimes$	Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27.						
Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity star CFR § 1.27 as:							
	an Independent Inventor						
	a Small Business Concern						
	a Nonprofit Organization						

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	This application is no longer entitled to small entity status. It is requested that this be noted in the files of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.								
	Loss of Entitlement Enclosed								
	Substitute Pages of the Specification are enclosed.								
	An Abstract is enclosed.								
	Sheets of Proposed Corrected Drawings are enclosed.								
	A Certified Copy of each of the following applications: is enclosed.								
	An Associate Power of Attorney is enclosed.								
	Information Disclosure Statement.								
	Attached Form 1449.								
	A copy of each reference as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.								
	Appended Material as follows:								
	Other Material as follows:								

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## FEE CALCULATION

No Additional Fee is Due.

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TOTAL CLAIMS		(20 MINIMUM)		\$9 EACH	\$	\$18 EACH	\$			
INDEP. CLAIMS		(3 MINIMUM)		\$42 EACH	\$	\$84 EACH	\$			
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**SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR** with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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